To: FCC Chairman Julius Genachowsk

Re: LightSquared Date: 9/22/2011

Dear Chairman Genachowski,

I am writing to voice my concern with the potential harmful interference that many experts in radio technology are predicting will come from the new LightSquared service scheduled for release this year.

I was unaware of this issue until today, when I drove through downtown Tyler and witnessed a protest led by local college professors and students waving signs saying SAVE OUR GPS. I stopped to see what that meant, and they informed me about what is happening.

Then a mere hour later, while I waited for a tire rotation, I saw on CNN that government officials who testified to congress, about this very issue, claim to have been pressured by the obama administration to make a statement like, "any potential interference would have any easy 90 day solution."

THEN I read a statement from LightSquared that they have "developed a product" that will "fix any interference" caused by their new service. Which means that I would need to purchase a product from the very company that caused a problem with my GPS reception in the first place.

A CNN report today revealed that LightSquared's biggest financial backer is a major contributor to the Democratic Party and to Mr. obama's Presidential campaign. So there seems to be much more to this story than just interfering with private GPS reception.

Really, Mr Chairman, this sounds so bizarre that I am certain there is more truth here than not. I am outraged that the obama administration continues to pose as the solution to the economic woes of America. Yet president obama's financial supporters continue to do things to undermine American jobs.

I use GPS as an Assistant Scoutmaster and for my work. Interference with the reception of the GPS signal will effect more than just recreational use. It will also hinder efforts of delivery drivers, emergency responders, and thousands of businesses.

I'm asking you to please put the LightSquared company on HOLD, with respect to the release of their new service, until a full study and investigation can prove that LightSquared or their shareholders do not stand to benefit from a problem they will create. And that LightSquared will not create harmful interference to the existing GPS technology used by millions of American citizens.

Thank you for your time,

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